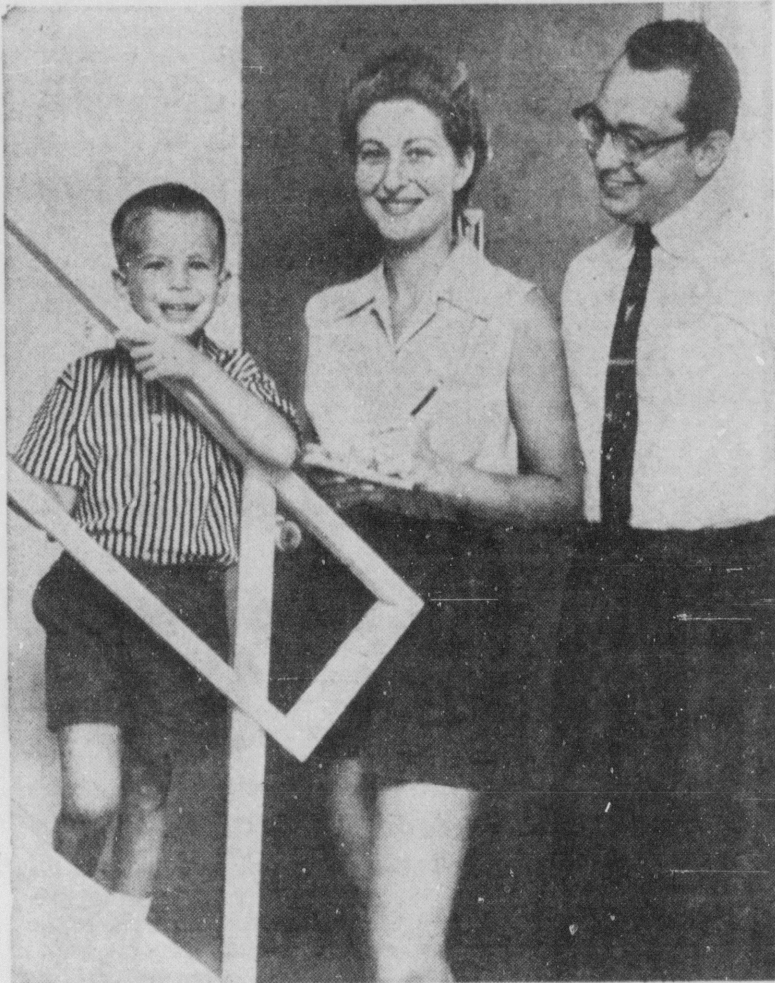


Partly cloudy today with highest near 80 and a chance of a few showers. Fair and cool tonight with lowest 55 northwest to 62 southeast portion. Tomorrow, fair and slightly cooler.

POLICE FIND WEINBERGER BODY

25,000th Subscriber



Mrs. Edward Werblum, 28 Quakertown road, Levittown, signs a subscription form to become the 25,000th subscriber to the Bristol Courier and Levittown Times. Her son, Stephen, 4, beams happily at the camera for the occasion while Harold Schwartz, circulation promotion representative, watches.

(Courier and Times Photo)

Courier And Times Circulation Grows To Over 25,000

Mrs. Edward Werblum of 28 Quakertown Road in Levittown has officially become "Mrs. 25,000" in the circulation records of the Courier and Times.

As the 25,000th subscriber to the fastest growing newspapers in Pennsylvania, Mrs. Werblum finds that her subscription will be a gift of the newspaper for the first three months. Mrs. Werblum is one of the newcomers in the Quincy Hollow section of Levittown where already nine out of 10 of the new families

Good Evening!

All over.

A bang of the gavel and a click of the television switch sent the 1956 conventions into limbo. The living room won't seem the same without thousands of gyrating, screaming, clapping delegates.

President Eisenhower gets a warm, tumultuous reception and his ear to ear grin showed that he enjoyed every frenzied minute.

He even helped pop some of those thousands of balloons that were released.

His speech was a calm, measured promise of what he and his party could do if elected for four more years. He did little backbiting at the Democrats but kept his talk on the high level he has maintained during the past four years.

And making Grandson David honorary chairman of the convention put a bright polish on the entire proceedings. A few days of rest and everyone will be ready for the campaign.

Good news also from New York where the FBI has nabbed the kidnaper of the Weinberger baby. This loss should be punished to the full extent of the law.

How could a father of two commit such a terrible crime? The FBI deserves hearty congratulations and let it stand as a warning to others who might entertain similar ideas.

Someone tell the weather man it's still August. How about some swimming days before the fall. The way things are going now we'll have the snow tires on by the end of September.

A doctor suggests that we make every day a fresh beginning. Those kids next door do a fine job of it. Lots of drivers get pinched for speeding, but not hard enough to wake them up.

Careful over the weekend.

Rec Center Near Reality

Casey Park Land Tract Under Study

Proposed Project To Be Financed Through Residents

A recreation center for Casey Park, Southampton, came closer to reality this week with an announcement that a tract of land is under serious consideration.

George Schmid, of the Upper Southampton Township Planning Committee, said Casey Park recreation planners will meet with property owners tomorrow or Monday to discuss the tract.

Arrangements to acquire the land may be made, he indicated, and definite plans may be announced next week.

A committee has been studying several possible areas in or around Casey Park in an attempt to pick a suitable location, Mr. Schmid explained. He did not disclose the location of the tract now under serious consideration.

"We are thinking in terms of a ball diamond, playground equipment, and later perhaps a swimming pool," said the planning official. He reported that cost is also under study.

If established, such a project would be financed through the residents. The Casey Park Fund Raising group would be chartered as a non-profit organization, he indicated.

Establishment of a swimming pool would depend on the amount of land and money, it was reported. Playground equipment would be similar to that in other recreation centers.

New Voters Registration

The Bucks County Traveling Registrars are now visiting local municipalities to sign up new voters for the coming November 6, presidential election.

The centers are open from 2 p.m. until 9 p.m. Residents can register at any center, not just those in their own municipality. The registrars will sit at the following places:

TODAY
Newtown Ford building, North Sycamore street, Newtown.
Quakertown Municipal Building, W. Broad street, Quakertown.
Warrington Fire House, Neshaminy.

MONDAY
Vacant store in Fairless Hills Shopping Center.
Fallsington Elementary School, Yardley avenue.

Accident Victim In Fair Condition

Robert Frantz, 17, of Philadelphia, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident which claimed the life of another Philadelphia youth last Thursday night, was described in fair condition today by Lower Bucks County hospital authorities.

Feasterville Road Planned

New Strip To Encircle School

Construction of a road, which will encircle the new Poquessing Elementary School, Feasterville, will get under way next week, according to John Paul, president of the Lower Southampton and Neshaminy school boards.

Mr. Paul gave no estimate of the project's cost, but explained that an agreement has been made between the Wolfson Company, Philadelphia developers and school officials, for a split in costs. Wolfson, who is ready to start construction of a housing develop-

ment around the Poquessing building, will pay half the cost and school authorities will pay the remainder, Mr. Paul explained. The road will serve both the school and the new community.

85 to 100 Homes

Children of the new development will attend the Poquessing school with other Feasterville area youngsters, it was explained. Wolfson is expected to build between 85 and 100 homes.

"Our attorney has just given us

Preliminary Plans Studied

Bath Road Rebuilding Set

By GORDON PARKER
Courier and Times Staff Writer

Preliminary plans for the rebuilding of Bath road should be completed and presented to the State Highway Department for approval within a week.

Present plans call for the elimination of two "S" curves— one between Route 13 and Lower Bucks Hospital and the second at Laurel Bend.

A team of surveyors and engineers has been studying the road for over a month now and drawing up recommendations for the rebuilding project. The team started at the beginning of

the road at Otter street, Bristol, and has now worked past Laurel Bend.

They will carry their studies up to Route 413, and a spokesman said they should be finished by the end of next week.

After the engineering team has finished its job the Highway Department will have to approve its plans and then have final construction plans drawn. The department has promised to start rebuilding Bath road next summer.

From Route 13 Bath road snakes over a narrow bridge near Silver lake and winds

through another curve straightening out just past the entrance to the hospital.

The spokesman for the engineering team said this would be replaced with one gentle curve from the traffic light at Route 13. This means a new and wider bridge would have to be built, he explained.

Much the same thing would be done at Laurel Bend where through a series of reverse curves Bath road makes almost a 90 degree turn. These curves would be eliminated and replaced by one curve.

Otherwise, the spokesman ex-

plained, the new road would follow the present path. But of course, he said, the road would be wider. Now he said it is about 18 feet wide; the new road would be 24 feet wide with six-foot shoulders on either side.

The job of the engineering team, which has covered every inch of the road, was simply to lay out the route for road and set the grade level.

The spokesman added that the new road will be higher than the present bed in spots. This will help solve some of the drainage problems in the area since some storm sewers will also be laid.

U. S'hampton Registration Figures Rise

346 Republicans, 84 Democrats Sign Up With Registrars

Registration of new voters in Upper Southampton Township Wednesday was "extremely high" the Registration Commission in Doylestown reported today.

Robert Detwiler, chief clerk, said, "The figures were unusually high for just one township like that."

Total Republican registration came to 346, while 84 Democrats signed up. Eight persons listed themselves as "no party."

The breakdown follows: Upper Southampton East, Democrats 20, Republicans 74, no party 2; Upper Southampton North, Democrats 33, Republicans 106, no party 1; Upper Southampton South, Democrats 31, Republicans 166, no party 5.

The Bucks County traveling registrars sat at Fleck's Appliance Store, Street road, Southampton, Wednesday. It was their only stop in Upper Southampton Township.

Persons who have not registered may still do so at Doylestown or at other locations where the traveling registrars visit.

No one may register after Sept. 15, the Registration Commission announced.

Dirt Pile Is Just Remains

If any Southamptonites are curious about that pile of dirt at the site of the proposed Southampton Shopping Center, it's not the start of construction work on the center.

The dirt is only the remains of pipe line work by the Sun Oil Company. No date has been set for the start of construction work on the shopping center.

Promoters of the project said today there is no indication of when ground-breaking ceremonies will be held.

Ready



President Eisenhower looks fit and hale as he delivers his acceptance speech.

Boro Plans Week-Long Celebration

Church Services Oct. 14 To Start 275th Anniversary

Bristol Borough representatives of all walks of life yesterday formulated tentative plans for a week-long celebration honoring the 275th anniversary of the founding of the Lower Bucks County municipality. At a general meeting of the steering committee at the Farmers' National Bank building, presided over by Warren Snyder, superintendent of schools, plans were approved to inaugurate the

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seven-day celebration with church services on Sunday, October 14.

Much discussion was heard pertaining to the rest of the schedule. Ann Hawkes Hutton, noted Bucks County historical researcher and author, told the committee she believed a gigantic fair depicting the era when Bristol was founded could be scheduled during the week's activities.

Dr. Henry Bisbee, one of Burlington's officials who actively participated in the New Jersey town's similar anniversary celebration, attended the meeting and (Continued on Page 3, Col. 5)

Nottingham JWV Elects McCloskey

Ted McCloskey, of 2836 Windsor drive, Nottingham Village, was elected junior vice commander of the Nottingham Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7903 last night.

Mr. McCloskey succeeds Donald Walters who recently resigned. Mr. Walters moved from Nottingham Village.

The Nottingham post also announced receipt of a letter from the Trevose Fire Company. The letter thanked the organization for its participation in the Trevose county-wide firemen's parade.

VFW Post 7903 will hold its next meeting Sept. 6, according to Alfred Johnson, publicity director.

Shop-A-Rama Assessment Called Low

Tullytown Council And School Board To File Appeal

Tullytown Borough council and school board will hold an "informal" joint meeting Monday night to discuss an appeal of the assessment on the Levittown Shopping Center.

Heads of both groups have charged the assessment figure, reported at \$1,706,700, was "far too low."

No Appeal

This is the same assessment placed on the center last year which borough officials protested. But the officials missed the deadline for filing appeals last year.

Peter A. Santoro, Borough Council president, said, "This figure is ridiculously low." He claimed that the shopping center draws \$35,000,000 in business each year.

"The assessment should be at least \$4,000,000," he added.

No Estimate

William Swangler, president of the school board, agreed with Santoro that the assessment was too low. But he declined to estimate what it should be. "I'm no appraiser and can't say what it should be. All I know is that the present figures are too low."

He called for a "fair assessment" on the center. He also pointed out that two years ago borough officials appealed the assessment and "got no place."

Santoro said the assessment is low even if you accept the real evaluation of \$10,000,000 set on the center and use the same formula used to set the assessment on Levittown homes.

By this formula the assessment should be \$2,250,000 Santoro said. "Even this would not be enough." (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4)

Peach Festival For Trevose

A peach festival comes to Trevose tomorrow at a half-dozen locations.

The festival, sponsored by the Trevose-Penn Valley PTA, will last from 2 to 4 p.m., and will feature the selling of peaches, ice cream and cake, according to Mrs. Marshall MacKelvey, of the PTA. The event is expected to get underway simultaneously at Ervins Park, Brownsville road; on the lawn of Mrs. George Nicolai, 4820 Weldon avenue; at the home of Mrs. Arthur James, 15 Chestnut avenue; at the Penn Valley park recreation hall; at the Reeder residence, 4308 Concord drive, Concord Park, and at the Liberty Bell Trailer Park.

The peach festival will be re-run Aug. 30 and 31 at the home of Mrs. Doris Lee, Linconia, Mrs. MacKelvey said. Funds will benefit the PTA.

Kidnaper



Angelo John LaMarca admitted kidnapping 33-day-old Peter Weinberger.

Ike Calls For Forward Look In GOP

Eisenhower, Nixon Accept Nominations As Convention Closes

SAN FRANCISCO —UP— President Eisenhower sent Republican delegates home from their centennial convention today with orders to recruit "young crusaders" into the GOP to make it the "party of the future."

The forward look was the campaign theme which Mr. Eisenhower stressed in accepting his second term. (Continued on Page 3, Col. 3)

Inside Today's Paper

Saturday Fare—

The Courier and Times will be geared to the weekend again. Pictures, features, and news, besides eight pages of color comics, will again be yours.

Across The World—

The right to vote was hard won. And Paul Comly French says it is just as hard to keep, with everyone having the responsibility of voting if he wants the right to criticize his officials. Page 20.

Looking Ahead—

If President Eisenhower wins this election, the Republicans will need a new standard bearer in 1960. And they aren't waiting until 1959 to make plans. Page 2.

The Women—

On the social pages today is news of Lower Bucks women's clubs. A tricky tray party that will draw about 275, a calendar for the year, and social events make the pages lively for women readers. Pages 8, 9.

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Police Capture Five Juveniles

HARRISBURG—UP—Five juvenile prisoners who overpowered a guard and escaped Dauphin County's new \$1,800,000 maximum security prison last night were captured driving a stolen car early today in Coatesville.

All five were returned to Harrisburg by state police for questioning and possible court action.

Warden John C. Seip identified the five, all 17-year-olds, as Charles Henderson, Harrisburg; Harold Bostwick and Michael Fisher, Middletown; Donald Dowell, Halifax and John Wolfgang, Valley View.

Overpowered Guard

Prison authorities said the five overpowered and slightly injured Guard George L. Williams when he entered the dayroom to return prisoners to their cells at 9:30 p.m. They made their exit down a hall, through the prisoner's main office and into the plush waiting room. There they used a modernistic chair to smash a large window to a locked door and fled to the outer grounds.

Once outside they stole a car owned by Charles Lippert, Jr., 210 Main street, Steelton, and headed east.

Teletype Description

At 1:15 a.m. state police moved a teletype description of the stolen car, and 43 minutes later two alert Coatesville patrolmen, Edward Masterstefone and Adrian Alexander spotted them on Route 30 on Coatesville's West Side.

Coatesville Police Chief James D. Dougherty said their automobile was forced to the curb and the five covered. But he said they did not resist arrest.

State Police later picked up the escapees and returned them to the Herr Street barracks at Harrisburg until authorities determined what action would be brought.

Stassen Called GOP 'Brainwash' Victim

HARRISBURG — UP — Gov. George M. Leader has termed Harold E. Stassen's last-minute support of Vice President Richard M. Nixon a "shocking" case of Republican "brainwashing."

The Democratic governor, fresh from his own standstill role in the Democratic convention at Chicago, termed the former Minnesota governor "probably the most pathetic figure in the Republican party."

"Probably the most shocking thing to come out of the Republican convention at San Francisco was the tremendous brainwashing job on a slightly worn out Republican liberal, Harold Stassen," Leader said.

"He gave all the appearance of some of the witnesses at the Moscow trials. We don't, however, think he was drugged," Leader said.

Hits 'Open' Convention

The governor said Stassen had invoked the full wrath of the GOP by "trying to prove to himself that all that business about the Republican convention being open was to be taken seriously."

"But," Leader said, "if there was any doubt about it, they dispelled it when they gave Terry Carpenter the bum's rush."

Mrs. Kennedy Loses Baby

NEWPORT, R.I. — UP — Mrs. John F. Kennedy, wife of the junior Massachusetts senator, was reported in good condition today following a miscarriage at Newport hospital.

The Kennedys had expected their first child in October.

Mrs. Kennedy, the former Jacqueline Bouvier, became ill at the home of her stepfather and mother Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Auchincloss, and was taken to the hospital yesterday.

Her husband, who nearly won the Democratic national nomination for vice president at the national convention in Chicago last week, is in Europe. He flew to Paris last weekend and was scheduled to visit the Middle East on a senatorial inspection tour.

The Kennedys were married here Sept. 12, 1953.

Airlines Dispute Hope Expressed

MIAMI —UP—A federal mediator expressed hope today that a promise by National Airlines to resume service would help settle labor difficulties between the huge airline and its 378 pilots.

National announced last night that at least 95 per cent of its flight schedule would be in operation by Tuesday, Aug. 28, and that most of the workers "furloughed" last week would be back on the job.

Births LOWER BUCKS HOSPITAL

Aug. 22
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O'Neal, 1555 Brown avenue, Croydon, girl.

Aug. 23
Rabbi and Mrs. Bergman, 86 Oaktree drive, Levittown, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gignac, 35 Red Maple lane, Levittown, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kahlen, 80 Hawthorne lane, Levittown, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petro, 39 Vineyard road, Levittown, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Shuck, 1815 Lincoln avenue, Croydon, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stakenas, 213 Mill street, Bristol, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson, 4122 Neshaminy street, Croydon, girl.

Ike Calls For Forward Look In GOP

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and commission as Republican standard-bearer.

But the party organization was also being assured that the 1956 Republican campaign will stress some less lofty themes—of the kind that politicians call "belly issues" . . . to persuade the voters that they never had it so good.

The GOP adjourned its four-day convention in the vast Cow Palace last night after hearing acceptance speeches from Mr. Eisenhower and Vice President Richard M. Nixon, the party's unanimous nominees to run against the Democratic ticket of Adlai E. Stevenson and Sen. Estes Kefauver.

New Look Outlined

Mr. Eisenhower was beaming and looking fit as he outlined to the cheering delegates the new look he would like to give the Grand Old Party.

Nixon, who returned to the bedside of his ailing 77-year-old father immediately after the session promised to deliver the message "to every corner of the land." The vice president whose past campaign tactics have drawn cries of foul from Democrats, avoided any harsh attacks on the opposition and devoted most of his speech to praise for the President and the record of the administration.

Cheer Nominee Appearances

Delegates came here with confidence that the renomination of the President would assure a Republican victory this year and they left with that confidence undiluted. But they heard frequent warnings that this would be a tough campaign and that they should take nothing for granted. They shouted and whooped it up as both nominees walked down the platform last night to watch abbreviated versions of the demonstrations which had marked their nominations.

Mr. Eisenhower gave five reasons why he considers the GOP "the party of the future:

1. " . . . It is the party of long range principle, not short term expediency."
2. "It is the party which concentrates on the facts and issues of today and tomorrow, not the facts and issues of yesterday."
3. " . . . It is the party that draws people together, not drives them apart."
4. " . . . It is the party through which the many things that still need doing will soonest be done . . . by enlisting the fullest energies of free, creative and individual people."
5. "A party of the future must be completely dedicated to peace" and he said in effect that the GOP is best oriented in that direction.

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The governor first said "Terry Moore," then laughed and corrected himself.

Leader said Carpenter's treatment "should convince the common people that there is no place for them in the Republican party of 1956, and that there is room for them in the Democratic party."

He cited statistics used at the Democratic convention to dispute Republican orators' contention that the "common man" no longer exists. Leader said figures show 20,000,000 Americans still have incomes of less than \$2,000 a year.

The governor said he "assumed" that "Stassen knew what he was talking about when he said that polls showed Nixon would prove a millstone around the presidential candidate's neck."

Joe Smith an Issue

He also said that he plans to make Joe Smith, the mythical candidate Nebraska Terry Carpenter strove to nominate, an issue in the Pennsylvania campaign. He said that in Joe Smith, the Republicans had "inadvertently" given the Democrats a peg on which to hang the Democratic charge that the GOP is the party of the favored few.

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Getting Their Last Summer Slide



Some of the youngsters who attended the last day of summer activities at Lower Southampton Township playgrounds are shown on the sliding board at the Lower Southampton Elementary School, Bridgetown pike. With the boys and girls is Joan Chase, playground instructor. The township's summer playground program ended yesterday. (Courier and Times Photo)

Rescue Units, Police Halt River Search

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Dr. John Charged With High Treason

KARLSRUHE, Germany — UP — Dr. Otto John, former chief of West Germany's counterspy organization was charged with high treason today.

The charges against the man who defected to the Communists and then re-defected to the West were lodged by the office for the protection of the constitution — roughly the equivalent of the American FBI.

The date for John's trial was not set.

8-Months Probe

Investigation into suspicion of high treason and espionage against John was completed today. This was eight months after he returned from a one and a half year stay in the Communist zone of Germany.

WTNJ Names New Manager

Ray McFadden, well known Lower Bucks County disc jockey and resident of 1316 West Pine avenue, Trevose has recently been appointed general manager of radio station WTNJ in Trenton.

The announcement of the promotion was made by William R. DeFreitas, president of WOAX Inc., from his New York offices.

McFadden succeeds acting general manager Al Leibert who plans to syndicate his popular morning show.

McFadden first came to the Lower Bucks County radio station in 1955 as a radio announcer and advertising salesman. He was formerly employed by a Philadelphia station.

It was also announced that no changes in station policy or programming was expected with the new appointment. McFadden's afternoon program "Gaddin' With McFadden" will continue to be heard Monday through Friday.

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advised the group from his past experience.

Banquet Planned

It was also agreed that a banquet would be scheduled for the celebration week and that a noted person would attend and address the assembled persons.

Allan Williams, published of the Bucks County Traveler magazine, also advised the group that their celebration should be held within their means and enlarged to carry throughout the entire year.

Mr. Williams advocated that numerous other communities would be willing to help Bristol Borough in their celebration. He said he felt people as far as Quakertown would feel they could become part of the gala affair.

Discussion was held on the prospects of a parade to climax the week's activities but no concrete decision was reached.

One day was designated for participation by the Borough schools.

Baby's Body

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Weinberger home a short time before the baby was stolen. It appeared today that they had indeed seen the kidnaper.

LaMarca told police he had parked near the home, written the kidnaper note in the car and snatched the baby from his carriage a moment after the mother went into the house.

Nassau County detective chief Stuyvesant Pinnell quoted LaMarca as saying he took the baby because he "needed money badly." He told police he owed nearly \$2,000 for storm windows and a refrigerator for his new home and an automobile.

LaMarca was arrested yesterday and booked late last night on a kidnapping charge. He was questioned from 9:30 p.m. yesterday to 3:15 a.m. today and then was led, shaken and covering, to a cell through a confusion of popping flashbulbs and shouting newsmen.

The swarthy kidnaper, who has a pencil-thin mustache and appeared neat in his clean, green overalls, is married and the father of two young sons. He lives in a \$15,000 home in a new housing development about five miles from the Weinberger home on Long Island.

His wife, Domenica, was taken to headquarters last night for questioning but police said she had been absolved of any part in the crime and no legal action was planned against her.

LaMarca, who police said appeared "calm and unruffled" during the questioning, told them he had picked the Weinberger home at random last July 4 when he decided a kidnap was the best way to get much-needed money.

Two minor accidents marred Bensalem township roads yesterday.

A rear-end collision took place at U.S. Route 1 and Street road early last night when a truck operated by John G. Hall, of Philadelphia, crashed into the rear of a car driven by David Williams, of New York City.

Williams told Bensalem officer Joseph Piciotti that Hall had to leave the scene immediately. Damage was estimated at \$100 to Williams' car while the truck sustained an undetermined amount of damage.

The second accident occurred late yesterday afternoon when a vehicle operated by Arno Voitel, of Philadelphia, attempted to pass an unidentified car on U.S. Route 1 near Bristol road. A third car driven by Anthony Antolino, also of Philadelphia, attempted to pass at the same time. The two cars sideswiped each other.

Damage was said to be minor by Patrolman George Walker.

Twin Bill Treat Tonight

Feasterville area movie-goers are in for a double treat tonight, when two feature-length films are shown on the grounds of the Lower Southampton Elementary School, Bridgetown pike, at 8 o'clock.

Summer playground activities have officially ended, but recreation officials have decided to lengthen their series of out-door films by presenting this double feature.

"Lost Tribe," the first film, stars Johnny Weissmuller. The comedy "Return of October" will be presented second. It features Glenn Ford and Terry Moore.

The two additional films bring the total number of summer out-door movies to 20. Eighteen were scheduled productions.

Over 300 persons are expected to attend, according to Ed Cuffer, recreation official.

Cool Winds Bring Pleasant Weather

Cool winds brushed over Lower Bucks County today, bringing generally pleasant and comfortable weather which appeared headed for a weekend stay.

The U. S. Weather Bureau, Trenton, forecast a high in the 70's today with partly cloudy to fair skies.

The cool front which passed over the area brought an overnight low of 62 degrees early this morning. Yesterday the mercury stopped at 76 degrees.

Hassle Erupts On Way Of Naming 17

Two Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge employees retirements were accepted yesterday at a commission meeting marked by a "patronage" dispute over authority to fill 17 administrative jobs with salaries totaling more than \$110,000 annually.

Those who had their retirement applications accepted at the session in the commission's administration building, Morrisville, were John R. May, senior assistant engineer, Langhorne, and William H. Wilson, Easton, chief engineer.

'Patronage' Dispute

The "patronage" dispute arose when David C. Thompson, a New Jersey Democrat, proposed a resolution that George L. Feaster, executive director, and a Republican member of the commission be given authority to fill the list of jobs within the agency. These jobs were made available by a series of mass resignations under the reorganization program.

Gene Smith and Weldon Heyburn of Pennsylvania stood fast to their beliefs that all commission members should be given an opportunity to screen applicants for their qualifications.

Mr. Thompson supporting his motion, quickly pointed out that the commissioners would have a say in filling the jobs and would retain veto power over prospective appointees.

The vote was 8-2 in favor of the resolution, with Mr. Heyburn and Mr. Smith voting in the negative.

The resignations of five employees under the previous administration, recently under investigation by the bi-state officials, were accepted at the meeting.

Resignees include William H. Wilson, chief bridge engineer; Andrew Carmichael, supervisor of free bridges; John Wilson, assistant bridge engineer; William Gardiner, personnel assistant, and Mary Sabo, statistical clerk.

Jobs, Salaries

The jobs the Democrats will fill, in the new administration, and their salaries include Comptroller, \$10,000; deputy comptroller, \$7,000; chief engineer, \$14,000; assistant chief engineer, \$11,000; maintenance supervisor, \$8,500; assistant maintenance supervisor, \$7,000; supervisor of bridges, \$12,000; supervisor of the Trenton-Morrisville Toll Bridge, \$7,000; supervisor of the Easton-Phillipsburg Bridge, \$7,000; supervisor of the Delaware Water Gap Bridge, \$7,000; Pennsylvania attorney, \$3,000; New Jersey attorney, \$3,000; assistant teller, \$2,520; statistical clerk-typist, \$2,400; and three repairmen, \$3,120 each.

Earlier in the meeting it was agreed to give all free bridge employees a salary boost of one increment in keeping with the salaries instituted for state employees in operation since July 1.

In other action, the commission authorized bids to be advertised for contracts to restore the Easton-Phillipsburg Bridge, destroyed by flood in 1955, and to advertise for bids to repair the Portland-Columbia and Point Pleasant-Bryam Bridges.

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False Advertising Charge Launched

WASHINGTON —UP— The Federal Trade Commission today accused Emerson Radio and Phonograph corporation of Jersey City, N. J., with false advertising of certain of its radios.

The FTC said the firm advertised some of its products were "transistor" radios which contained no vacuum tubes and were the smallest pocket radios ever made.

Charging a violation of the FTC Act, the commission complaint alleged the radios did contain vacuum tubes as well as transistor and are neither "transistor" radios nor the smallest pocket radios ever made.

Obituary

WILLIAM E. TALLMAN

William E. Tallman, 79, retired rural mail carrier and lifelong resident of Burlington, N. J., died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Fenimore of Woodlane Road, Edgewater Park. He lived at Alexander's Park.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at the Slack Funeral Home, 117 East Broad Street, with interment in Odd Fellows cemetery.

Indian Hurlers Disprove Baseball's Pitching Theory

Cleveland Lacks Speed and Spirit

NEW YORK — (NEA) — The Indians, in more recent years, have done much to disprove the old theory that pitching is from 75 to 90 per cent of baseball. If that were entirely true, the Cleveland club would now have an unprecedented string of pennants. Never has so much pitching run second so consistently. The Larry Doby deal haunts the Tribe, as so many predicted it would. The center fielder has hardly set Chicago's South Side and the White Sox afire, but he's batted in nearly as many runs as the combined production of Chico Carrasquel and Jim Busby, the players obtained for his contract.

LEGAL NOTICES

AN ORDINANCE
Authorizing the sale and conveyance to The Philadelphia and Trenton Rail Road Company of a certain lot of land on the Southeastern side of State Route 150 in the Borough of Bristol.

The Borough Council of the Borough of Bristol hereby ordains as follows: That the President of the Borough Council and the Borough Secretary are hereby authorized to execute, acknowledge and deliver, on behalf of the Borough of Bristol, a good and sufficient deed of conveyance, and to take all other appropriate action in order to effectuate the sale and conveyance to The Philadelphia and Trenton Rail Road Company of the following described premises, viz:

"All that certain strip or piece of land, situate in the Borough of Bristol, County of Bucks and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, described according to a Plan thereof made by William S. Erwin, Registered Professional Engineer, dated October 14, 1955, as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the Southeastern side of a public road (State Route 150) distant Sixty feet Southwesterly from the center line thereof and at the distance of One Hundred Fifty-five feet more or less Southwesterly from the Western side of Broad Street, produced, said point of beginning being a corner of land of The Great, Lower Bucks Chamber of Commerce; Thence extending from said point of beginning, South Eighteen degrees two minutes thirty seconds East along the last mentioned land, thirteen and five-tenths feet to a point in line of land of The Philadelphia and Trenton Rail Road Company, Thence extending Southwesterly along the said land of The Philadelphia and Trenton Rail Road Company on the arc of a circle curving to the right, having a radius of Eleven thousand One hundred Fifty-two feet and nine one-hundredths feet the arc distance of One Hundred Seventy-five and eight-tenths feet to a point on the Southeastern side of State Route No. 150, distant Fifty feet Southwesterly from said center line of State Route No. 150, on the arc of a circle curving to the left, having a radius of Two thousand Nine hundred Fourteen and Nine-tenths feet the arc distance of One Hundred Seventy-three and three-tenths feet to a point; Thence extending South Thirty degrees Thirty minutes Thirty seconds East Ten feet to a point on the Southeastern side of State Route No. 150, distant Sixty feet Southwesterly from said center line of State Route No. 150, on the arc of a circle curving to the left, having a radius of Two thousand Nine hundred Twenty-four and four-tenths feet the arc distance of Twenty-two and thirty-one one-hundredths feet to the first mentioned point and place of beginning.

"Containing in area One thousand Seven hundred Twenty-five Square Feet or Three hundred Ninety-six Ten-thousandths of an acre, more or less."

for the consideration, price or sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-five Dollars (\$3,755.00) in cash.

Duly ordained and enacted, this 13th day of August, A.D. 1956.

Arthur Chiericini
President of Council

Attest:
Sara B. Rafferty
Secretary
Approved, this 13th day of August, A.D. 1956.

Anthony R. Niccoletti
Burgess
C & T Aug. 23 & 24

NOTICE FOR BIDS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Bristol Township School District Authority, Bristol, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, will receive proposals for furnishing materials and labor to construct the Levittown No. 4 Elementary School in Bristol Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, at the Delhaas High School, Rogers Road, Route 413, Bristol Township, Pennsylvania, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, on September 27, 1956.

Bids will be received for the work under eight (8) separate Contracts as follows:

Contract No. 1.—For General Construction and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 2.—For Plumbing and Drainage and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 3.—For Heating and Ventilating and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 4.—For Electrical Work and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 5.—For Cafeteria — Kitchen Equipment and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 6.—For Stage Settings and Window Curtains and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 7.—For Basketball Backstops and all work kindred thereto.

Contract No. 8.—For Venetian Blinds and Light Proof Shades and all work kindred thereto.

Instructions to Bidders, form of proposal, plans and specifications may be inspected at the office of Micklewright & Mountford, Architects, 35 Union Street, Morrisville, Pennsylvania. Plans will be furnished on a deposit of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars for each set upon application to the Architects, 35 Union Street, Morrisville, Pennsylvania.

Bids shall be submitted on forms as provided by the Architects and shall be enclosed in an opaque sealed envelope, addressed and delivered to the Bristol Township School District Authority, Delhaas High School, Bristol, Pennsylvania, and plainly marked on the outside "Bid for Levittown No. 4 Elementary School" and title of the work covered by bid (General Construction, Plumbing and Drainage, Heating and Ventilating, Electrical, Cafeteria-Kitchen, Stage Settings and Window Curtains, Basketball Backstops and Venetian Blinds) and the name of the bidder. Only one copy of the bid shall be submitted.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond for ten (10%) per centum of the amount of the base bid. Checks shall be drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company. Checks and/or bid bonds shall be made out to the Bristol Township School District Authority as a guarantee that in case the Contract is awarded to the bidder, bidder will, within ten (10) days thereafter, execute such Contract and furnish duly executed payment, performance and maintenance bonds. In consideration of receipt of bid by the aforesaid Authority, bidder agrees, and receipt of said Authority is contingent upon bidder's agreement, that should bidder fail to execute Contract and furnish duly executed payment, performance and maintenance bonds, within ten (10) days, as aforesaid, the ten (10%) per cent bid guarantee may be retained by the Authority as liquidated damages, and bidder further agrees, bid may not be withdrawn for a period of forty (40) days after the date set for the opening thereof.

The checks of all bidders, except the three lowest, will be returned with in ten (10) days after the opening of bids, and the remaining checks relevant to each Contract will be returned within forty (40) days or as soon as Contract has been executed and payment and performance bonds furnished or the bid otherwise disposed of. No interest will be allowed upon the guarantee check.

The Bristol Township School District Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive such immaterial informalities as may be permitted by law.

THE BRISTOL TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT AUTHORITY
A. C. Smith
Secretary
Fred R. Herman
Chairman
Dated: Aug. 24, 1956
C & T Aug. 24, 31 Sept. 7

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Bristol Borough Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a public hearing on Monday evening, August 27, 1956, in the Municipal Building, Bristol, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, commencing at 8:00 P.M., to hear and consider the application of JOHN RACCAGNO for a variance to permit the enlargement and extension of a claimed non-conforming use of premises, known as 111 Lincoln Avenue, Bristol, Pennsylvania, for the manufacture of children's wear and similar articles.

All persons interested may appear at said hearing and be heard if they so desire.

BRISTOL BOROUGH ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
C & T Aug. 10-24

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critics of the Doby deal. "They were sacred cows, you see, because taking them out would have made Hank Greenberg and Lopez, who engineered the Doby deal, look bad."

Manager Lopez has the common excuse—injuries and illness. Herb Score was out with the spasmic colon when the Indians had 14 consecutive games with the Yankees and Red Sox, etc.

But there are members of the Cleveland party who stress the fact that a pennant contender cannot be built with players whose work had fallen off elsewhere, and included in that group are Gene Woodling, Busby and Carrasquel.

Listing their miseries, faithful followers of the Indians go back six years, or to the trading of Mickey Vernon to the Senators for one Dick Weik, a pitcher.

Since that time we have struggled along with converted outfielders — Luke Easter, Harry Simpson and Wertz — at first base," added the old Indian, "or tried fellows who couldn't get by

Dick Klamfoth Enters Race

Entries continue to be received for the annual running of the A. M. A. sanctioned 100-mile motorcycle classic scheduled for the Langhorne Speedway, Sunday, September 2. Among the latest to be received by co-Promoters Irv Fried and Al Gerber was the entry of Dick Klamfoth, of Groveport, O.

Klamfoth's entry came as somewhat of a surprise for the spectacular broadslider more or less insinuated, last season, that he would make no additional attempts to snare the only major cycle event that he has not annexed.

The change of heart leads one to believe that Klamfoth, a winner of the Daytona 200-mile National title and the Laconia '100', is determined to triumph in the third of the motorcycle sport's "blue ribbon" classics. The long and lead speedster from the

Buckeye State possesses all of the requisites to lead the keen field to the checker flag.

In the recent Laconia '100', Klamfoth pushed Brad Andres, National Champion, to the finish. It was a dog-eat-dog race with the West Coast titleholder and also the defending Langhorne champion, crossing the finish line a few seconds ahead of Klamfoth.

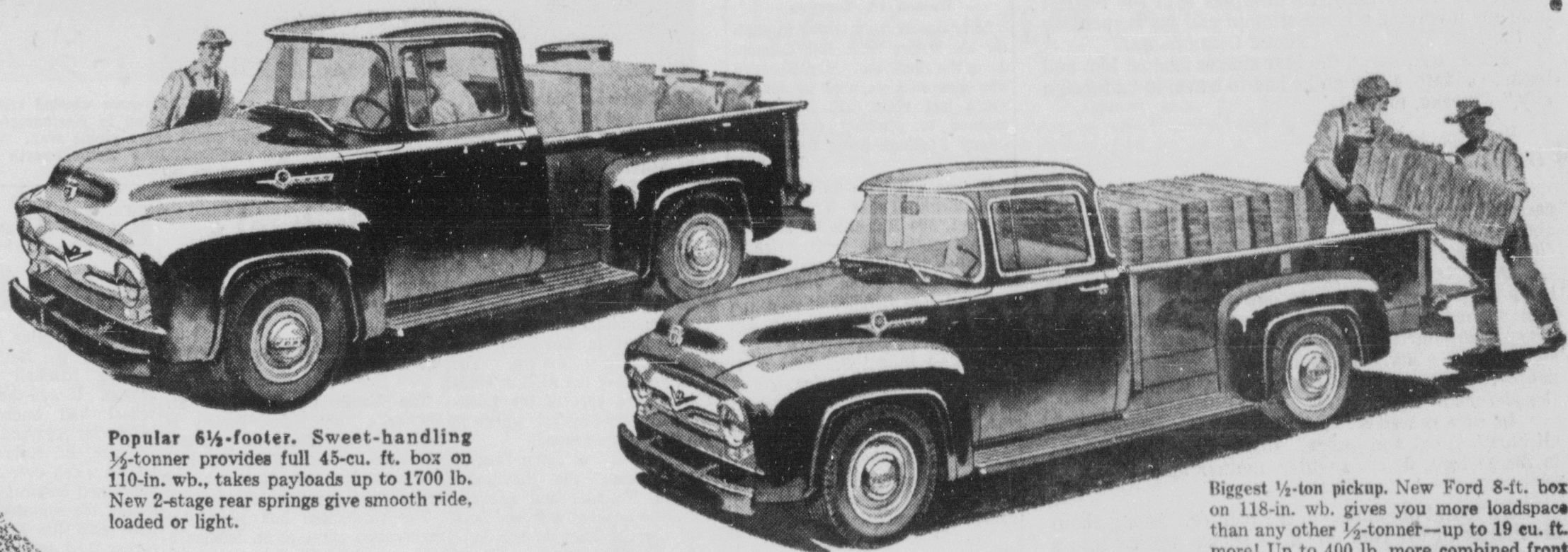
Mechanical Failure
Mechanical failure has dogged the colorful Ohio speedster in the

last three runnings of the Langhorne 100-mile classic. Like all of the expert riders in the popular sport it is the ambition of Klamfoth to ride to triumph in the Bucks county event.

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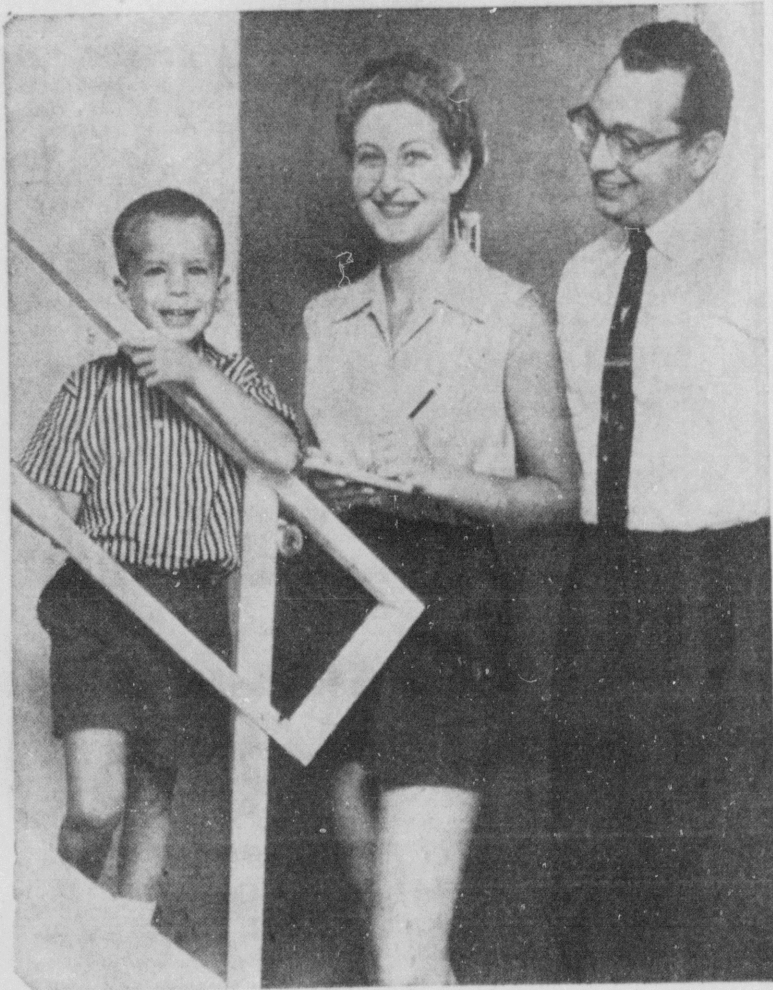
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25,000th Subscriber



Mrs. Edward Werblum, 28 Quakeroak road, Levittown, signs a subscription form to become the 25,000th subscriber to the Bristol Courier and Levittown Times. Her son, Stephen, 4, beams happily at the camera for the occasion while Harold Schwartz, circulation promotion representative, watches. (Courier and Times Photo)

Courier And Times Circulation Grows To Over 25,000

Mrs. Edward Werblum of 28 Quakeroak Road in Levittown has officially become "Mrs. 25,000" in the circulation records of the Courier and Times.

As the 25,000th subscriber to the fastest growing newspapers in Pennsylvania, Mrs. Werblum finds that her subscription will be a gift of the newspaper for the first three months. Mrs. Werblum is one of the newcomers in the Quince Hollow section of Levittown where already nine out of 10 of the new families

Good Evening!

All over.

A bang of the gavel and a click of the television switch sent the 1956 conventions into limbo. The living room won't seem the same without thousands of gyrating, screaming, clapping delegates.

President Eisenhower gets a warm, tumultuous reception and his ear to ear grin showed that he enjoyed every frenzied minute.

He even helped pop some of those thousands of balloons that were released.

His speech was a calm, measured promise of what he and his party could do if elected for four more years. He did little backbiting at the Democrats but kept his talk on the high level he has maintained during the past four years.

And making Grandson David honorary chairman of the convention put a bright polish on the entire proceedings. A few days of rest and everyone will be ready for the campaign.

Good news also from New York where the FBI has nabbed the kidnaper of the Weinberger baby. This louse should be punished to the full extent of the law.

How could a father of two commit such a terrible crime? The FBI deserves hearty congratulations and let it stand as a warning to others who might entertain similar ideas.

Someone tell the weather man it's still August. How about some swimming days before the fall. The way things are going now we'll have the snow tires on by the end of September.

A doctor suggests that we make every day a fresh beginning. Those kids next door do a fine job of it. Lots of drivers get pinched for speeding, but not hard enough to wake them up. Careful over the weekend.

Republicans Eye Future

Ike Calls For Forward Look In GOP

Eisenhower, Nixon Accept Nominations As Convention Closes

SAN FRANCISCO —UP— President Eisenhower sent Republican delegates home from their centennial convention today with orders to recruit "young crusaders" into the GOP to make it the "party of the future."

The forward look was the campaign theme which Mr. Eisenhower stressed in accepting his second commission as Republican standard-bearer.

But the party organization was also being assured that the 1956 Republican campaign will stress some less lofty themes—of the kind that politicians call "belly issues" . . . to persuade the voters



President Eisenhower looks fit and hale as he delivers his acceptance speech.

that they never had it so good.

The GOP adjourned its four-day convention in the vast Cow Palace last night after hearing acceptance speeches from Mr. Eisenhower and Vice President Richard M. Nixon, the party's unanimous nominees to run against the Democratic ticket of Adlai E. Stevenson and Sen. Estes Kefauver.

Mr. Eisenhower was beaming (Continued on Page 3, Col. 3)

New Voters Registration

The Bucks County Traveling Registrars are now visiting local municipalities to sign up new voters for the coming November 6, presidential election. The centers are open from 2 p.m. until 9 p.m. Residents can register at any center, not just those in their own municipality. The registrars will sit at the following places:

TODAY
Newtown Ford building, North Sycamore street, Newtown.
Quakertown Municipal Building, W. Broad street, Quakertown.
Warrington Fire House, Neshauney.

MONDAY
Vacant store in Fairless Hills Shopping Center.
Fallsington Elementary School, Yardley avenue.

Preliminary Plans Studied

Bath Road Rebuilding Set

By GORDON PARKER
Courier and Times Staff Writer

Preliminary plans for the rebuilding of Bath road should be completed and presented to the State Highway Department for approval within a week.

Present plans call for the elimination of two "S" curves—one between Route 13 and Lower Bucks Hospital and the second at Laurel Bend.

A team of surveyors and engineers has been studying the road for over a month now and drawing up recommendations for the rebuilding project. The team started at the beginning of

the road at Otter street, Bristol, and has now worked past Laurel Bend.

They will carry their studies up to Route 413, and a spokesman said they should be finished by the end of next week.

After the engineering team has finished its job the Highway Department will have to approve its plans and then have final construction plans drawn. The department has promised to start rebuilding Bath road next summer.

From Route 13 Bath road snakes over a narrow bridge near Silver lake and winds

through another curve straightening out just past the entrance to the hospital.

The spokesman for the engineering team said this would be replaced with one gentle curve from the traffic light at Route 13. This means a new and wider bridge would have to be built, he explained.

Much the same thing would be done at Laurel Bend where through a series of reverse curves Bath road makes almost a 90 degree turn. These curves would be eliminated and replaced by one curve.

Otherwise, the spokesman ex-

plained, the new road would follow the present path. But of course, he said, the road would be wider. Now he said it is about 18 feet wide; the new road would be 24 feet wide with six-foot shoulders on either side.

The job of the engineering team, which has covered every inch of the road, was simply to lay out the route for road and set the grade level.

The spokesman added that the new road will be higher than the present bed in spots. This will help solve some of the drainage problems in the area since some storm sewers will also be laid.

Man Admits Leaving Baby In L.I. Woods

Child Found Dead About 75 Feet Off Traveled Highway

MINEOLA, N. Y.—UP—The weathered remains of infant Peter Weinberger were found today in deep woods adjoining a busy parkway where his confessed kidnaper had abandoned his victim.

Angelo John LaMarca, 31, a debt-ridden father of two children, had confessed the July 4 abduction Thursday night. But he maintained that he did not kill the child, that he "gently" laid the body in the woods the following day when crowds and publicity prevented him from trying to collect the \$2,000 ransom he had demanded.

Some 50 police and FBI agents searching the 200-acre wooded area off a Long Island parkway found the body at 10:30 a.m. EDT



Angelo John LaMarca admitted kidnapping 33-day-old Peter Weinberger.

shrouded by honeysuckle under a scrub oak bush.

The small bundle—a safety pin, the remnants of a garment and what appeared to be one of several tiny bones—was not disturbed by the police, pending the taking of photographs and an examination by the coroner.

Certified "Infant's Body" Peter was wearing a peaked cap and a kimono when he was kidnapped. Medical examiner Dr. Theodore Curphey certified at 11:50 a.m. that the remains were "the body of an infant child."

Assistant Chief of Detectives James Farrell said the remains consisted of "a skull and several small bones, all in shrunken form."

The body was gently scooped up with the leaves and soft earth below it and taken from the woods to the county morgue at Meadowbrook Hospital.

At almost the same moment the (Continued On Page 3, Col. 1)

Falls School Board Readies Tax Appeal

Solicitor To Draft Resolution On Low Fairless Assessment

The Falls Township School Board last night authorized its solicitor to draft a resolution to appeal the Fairless Works assessment as well as "certain other properties in the township."

Board officials explained that the appeal, when made, would be aimed at gaining "equitable assessments for all of Falls Township" at the county level.

They stressed that the appeal was not only against the huge Fairless Works but would probably include many commercial, residential, and other industrial assessments.

The proposed action follows the opinion of the board expressed in the past that "many properties in the township are under-assessed."

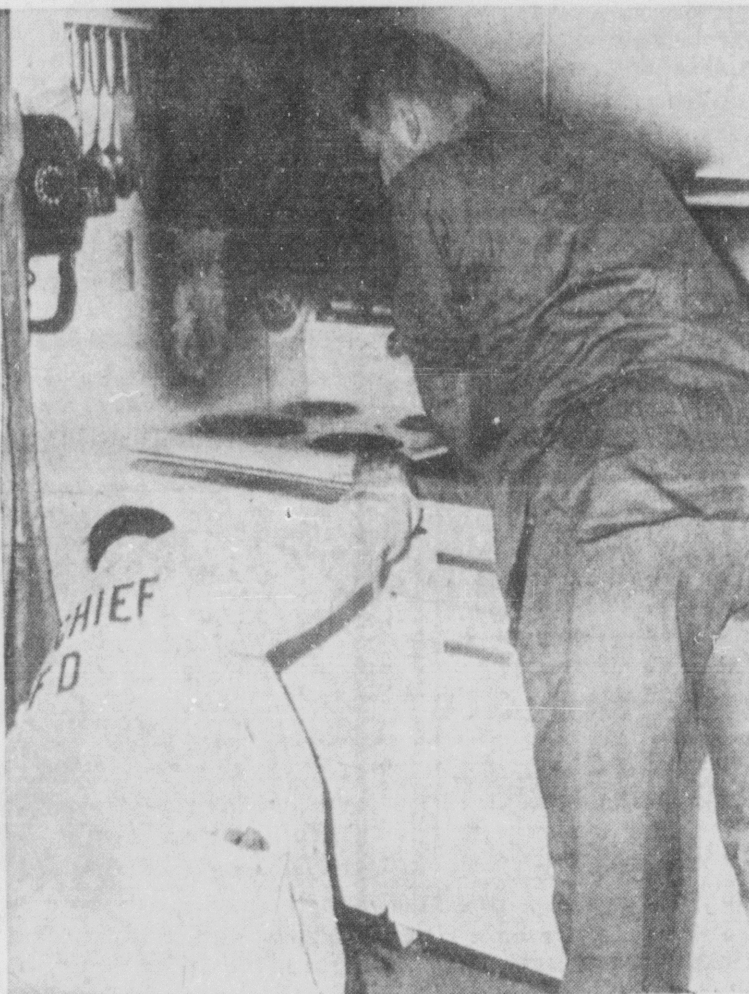
One of the points that may be included in the appeal will be new home assessments in the township. In this way, an entire development would be pointed to as having equal homes, all under-assessed.

The school board indication to appeal follows the heels of the Supervisors' announcement that they would also appeal.

The supervisors met with the board solicitor today and discussed their appeal possibility.

Both bodies have indicated that their appeals might be similar in the hope of getting higher assessments when their cases are heard before the County Board of Appeal next month.

Kitchen Fire In Levittown



Grease from a frying pan flared up suddenly yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Archie Eiferman, 65 Ironwood road, Levittown, and ignited the plastic fixtures on the electric range. The flames burned off the insulation on the wires in the stove causing a short circuit which added to the fire. Members of the Levittown Fire Company Number Two quickly brought the blaze under control after they turned off the electricity. Looking over the damage are: George Rodgers, assistant chief, in white coat, and Chief Bud Hudson, standing up. (Courier and Times Photo)

Car Bumper Game Ends In Argument

A Levittown motorist was arrested last night and charged with attacking another motorist and his companion following a bumper bumping altercation on Mill Creek parkway.

The reported fighting motorist, Leo F. Dougherty, of 2 Mintleaf road, Mill Creek Falls, Levittown, was released in \$1000 bail after Fallsington.

The two claiming attack, Clarence Thomas, of 11 Gridiron road, Goldenridge, Levittown, and Buford Lee, of Hatfield, told Falls township police they were traveling on Mill Creek parkway when Dougherty began to strike their vehicle with his bumper.

The two men said they were attacked by Dougherty shortly after this. Both men required treatment at the Lower Bucks County hospital.

Dougherty was apprehended by Bristol township police after warrants charging him with two counts of aggravated assault and battery and two more charging as

Mrs. Reba Carver, 254 West Palmer street, Morrisville, told police she had rented a room in her home to "a man from Pittsburgh," Wednesday night. Mrs. Carver told police last night that the man and her wrist watch and some change are missing.

Police said the watch and change were kept in Mrs. Carver's room. They are continuing their investigation.

Robert Frantz, 17, of Philadelphia, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident which claimed the life of another Philadelphia youth last Thursday night, was described in fair condition today by Lower Bucks County hospital authorities.

Mrs. George Skelton, the child's mother, said a delivery truck came up into her driveway to turn around when the accident happened. The wheels of the vehicle passed over the youngster's shoulder, scraping her face. The truck was not making a delivery at the Skelton home, the mother said.

The child is recuperating satisfactorily, Mrs. Skelton continued, but will be confined to bed for several weeks.

"Her face is a mess of cuts and bruises," the mother concluded, "but it could have been so much worse."

Shop-A-Rama Assessment Called Low

Tullytown Council And School Board To File Appeal

Tullytown Borough council and school board will hold an "informal" joint meeting Monday night to discuss an appeal of the assessment on the Levittown Shopping Center.

Heads of both groups have charged the assessment figure, reported at \$1,706,700, was "far too low."

No Appeal

This is the same assessment placed on the center last year which borough officials protested. But the officials missed the deadline for filing appeals last year.

Peter A. Santoro, Borough Council president, said, "This figure is ridiculously low." He claimed that the shopping center draws \$35,000,000 in business each year.

"The assessment should be at least \$4,000,000," he added.

No Estimate

William Swangler, president of the school board, agreed with Santoro that the assessment was too low. But he declined to estimate what it should be. "I'm no appraiser and can't say what it should be. All I know is that the present figures are too low."

He called for a "fair assess-

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Morrisville Theft Nets Watch, Coins

A ladies gold wrist watch and an undetermined amount of change from two jelly jars were reported stolen from a Morrisville home last night, Police Chief John S. Davis said.

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'Peaches' Dies Mysteriously

Autopsy Ordered In Odd Case

NEW YORK—UP—New York City authorities ordered an autopsy performed today on the body of "Peaches" Browning who made boudoir history in the jazz-mad twenties with wealthy Edward R. (Daddy) Browning.

The four-times married Peaches died in New York Hospital yesterday at the age of 46 from a fall suffered Sunday in the bathroom of her luxurious apartment. Deputy Chief Inspector Edward T. Feeley ordered an investigation.

Dr. Sidney Weinberg, acting medical examiner, demanded an autopsy today and said he would perform it himself in Bellevue

morgue. He was reported angry because the case and its unusual aspects were not brought to his attention soon enough.

Peaches' body, clad in a nightgown, was found by her mother, Mrs. Caroline Heenan. She was in a coma with a bump over her right ear. Mrs. Heenan telephoned a physician who merely advised keeping her "warm and comfortable" a few hours.

Notices Head Bump

Eight hours later Dr. Lillian H. Hellstrom arrived and noticed a bump on the back of Peaches' head and ordered an ambulance for the still unconscious woman.

No report was made to police until after Peaches died without regaining consciousness.

Peaches was listed at the hospital as Mrs. Frances Willson—the name of her fourth and last husband, Ralph Willson, a Columbus, Ohio, businessman—and hospital authorities knew nothing of the patient's past life and the odd boudoir antics of silver-haired Daddy Browning.

The world-famous romance between Peaches and Daddy began in 1926 when the 51-year-old wealthy real estate man met 15-year-old Frances Heenan at a text. (Continued on Page 3, Col. 7)

Inside Today's Paper

Saturday Fare—

The Courier and Times will be geared to the weekend again. Pictures, features, and news, besides eight pages of color comics, will again be yours.

Across The World—

The right to vote was hard won. And Paul Comly French says it is just as hard to keep, with everyone having the responsibility of voting if he wants the right to criticize his officials. Page 20.

Looking Ahead—

If President Eisenhower wins this election, the Republicans will need a new standard bearer in 1960. And they aren't waiting until 1959 to make plans. Page 4.

The Women—

On the social pages today is news of Lower Bucks women's clubs. A tricky tray party that will draw about 275, a calendar for the year, and social events make the pages lively for women readers. Pages 8, 9.

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Police Capture Five Juveniles

HARRISBURG—UP—Five juvenile prisoners who overpowered a guard and escaped Dauphin County's new \$1,800,000 maximum security prison last night were captured driving a stolen car early today in Coatesville.

All five were returned to Harrisburg by state police for questioning and possible court action.

Warden John C. Seip identified the five, all 17-year-olds, as Charles Henderson, Harrisburg; Harold Bostwick and Michael Fisher, Middletown; Donald Dowell, Halifax and John Wolfgang, Valley View.

Overpowered Guard

Prison authorities said the five overpowered and slightly injured Guard George L. Williams when he entered the dayroom to return prisoners to their cells at 9:30 p.m. They made their exit down a hall, through the prisoner's main office and into the plush

waiting room. There they used a modernistic chair to smash a large window to a locked door and fled to the outer grounds.

Once outside they stole a car owned by Charles Lippert, Jr., 210 Main street, Steelton, and headed east.

Teletype Description

At 1:15 a.m. state police moved a teletype description of the stolen car, and 43 minutes later two alert Coatesville patrolmen, Edward Masterstefone and Adrian Alexander spotted them on Route 30 on Coatesville's West Side.

Coatesville Police Chief James D. Dougherty said their automobile was forced to the curb and the five covered. But he said they did not resist arrest.

State Police later picked up the escapees and returned them to the Herr Street barracks at Harris-town until authorities determined what action would be brought.

Bridge Group To Fill Jobs Worth \$110,000

Two Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge employees retirements were accepted yesterday at a commission meeting marked by a "patronage" dispute over authority to fill 17 administrative jobs with salaries totaling more than \$110,000 annually.

Those who had their retirement applications accepted at the session in the commission's administration building, Morrisville, were John R. May, senior assistant engineer, Langhorne, and William H. Wilson, Easton, chief engineer.

"Patronage" Dispute

The "patronage" dispute arose when David C. Thompson, a New Jersey Democrat, proposed a resolution that George L. Feaster, executive director, and a Republican member of the commission be given authority to fill the list of jobs within the agency. These jobs were made available by a series of mass resignations under the reorganization program.

Gene Smith and Weldon Heyburn of Pennsylvania stood fast to their beliefs that all commission members should be given an opportunity to screen applicants for their qualifications.

Mr. Thompson supporting his motion, quickly pointed out that the commissioners would have a say in filling the jobs and would

they found the body in the woods."

Mrs. Weinberger, 32, who had kept countless false rendezvous with callers claiming to be the kidnaper, remained calm.

At almost the same moment LaMarca was led in handcuffs into the county court house where he was arraigned on a kidnapping charge, which carries a maximum penalty of death on conviction.

LaMarca said he had placed the baby in the woods about 75 feet off the northern state parkway at exit 37, a little more than a city block from the nearest occupied house. Police said it was unlikely anyone ever heard the infant's cries over the hum of tires on the heavily traveled highway.

The spot is about eight miles from the exclusive Westbury home of the baby's parents, Beatrice and Morris Weinberger, and about a half a mile from LaMarca's own home at Plainview.

The area was blocked off by bright orange and blue police cars this morning and a party of 50 officers, in boots and dungarees began searching the damp woods and tangled underbrush.

The baffling kidnap case was solved by the FBI and Nassau County police through a painstaking check of the ransom note handwriting against thousands of records in school, license bureau and police files throughout the county.

LaMarca was arrested by the FBI and turned over to local police when it became apparent that he had crossed no state lines with the child.

One of the few early clues to the kidnaper had been the report of two young boys that they saw a shabbily dressed man standing beside a battered car near the Weinberger home a short time before the baby was stolen. It appeared today that they had indeed seen the kidnaper.

LaMarca told police he had parked near the home, written the kidnaper note in the car and snatched the baby from his carriage a moment after the mother went into the house.

Nassau County detective chief Stuyvesant Pinnell quoted LaMarca as saying he took the baby because he "needed money badly."

He told police he owed nearly \$2,000 for storm windows and a refrigerator for his new home and an automobile.

Ike Calls For Forward Look In GOP

(Continued from Page One) and looking fit as he outlined to the cheering delegates the new look he would like to give the Grand Old Party.

Nixon, who returned to the bedside of his ailing 77-year-old father immediately after the session promised to deliver the message "to every corner of the land." The vice president whose past campaign tactics have drawn cries of foul from Democrats, avoided any harsh attacks on the opposition and devoted most of his speech to praise for the President and the record of the administration.

Cheer Nominee Appearances

Delegates came here with confidence that the renomination of the President would assure a Republican victory this year and they left with that confidence undiluted. But they heard frequent warnings that this would be a tough campaign and that they should take nothing for granted. They shouted and whooped it up as both nominees walked down the platform last night to watch abbreviated versions of the demonstrations which had marked their nominations.

Mr. Eisenhower gave five reasons why he considers the GOP "the party of the future:

1. "... It is the party of long range principle, not short term expediency."

He used this as a springboard for slamming the Democrats as a party of expediency in dealing with the farm issue, labor relations and the growth of bureaucratic power in Washington.

2. "It is the party which concentrates on the facts and issues of today and tomorrow, not the facts and issues of yesterday."

Here he charged the Democrats with running on the depression issues of the 1930's.

3. "... It is the party that draws people together, not drives them apart."

4. "... It is the party through which the many things that still need doing will soonest be done ... by enlisting the fullest energies of free, creative and individual people."

5. "A party of the future must be completely dedicated to peace" and he said in effect that the GOP is best oriented in that direction.

"In firm faith, and in the conviction that Republican purposes and principles are in league with this kind of future, the nomination that you have tendered me for the presidency of the United States I now—humbly and confidently—accept," said Mr. Eisenhower.

Over 25,000

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The first Courier and Times audit on March 31st of last year. The first Courier and Times audit circulation report for the three month period ending Dec. 31st, 1954 showed a total circulation of 14,650. This made the Courier and Times by far the largest newspapers in the county and since then the remarkable growth has continued by leaps and bounds.

The Bristol Daily Courier is one of the oldest papers in the state. Its sister paper, The Levittown Times, has been in existence since nearly the first home was built in Levittown. Both papers have consistently kept pace with this fast growing area, in editorial content, growth of advertising, and of course in circulation.

With more than 400 newspaper carriers busy soliciting new customers on their paper routes each week ... and with the three adult permanent circulation salesmen contacting new residents to the county ... the next goal for the Courier and Times is to welcome "Mr. or Mrs. 30,000."

3-Day Summer Festival Ready To Start Tonight

Plan For Anniversary Celebration



The steering committee for the 275th anniversary celebration of Bristol Borough are shown as they gathered yesterday afternoon at the Farmer's National Bank building where they discussed tentative plans for a gala week-long celebration in October. Members present are, (seated left to right) Francis O'Boyle, Warren Snyder, Ann Hawkes Hutton, and Steve Midouhas; (standing left to right) Allan Williams, Gene Nichols, Mike Berrie, Vincent Massi, Dr. Henry Bisbee, and Vito Marsaglia. (Courier and Times Photo)

Rescue Units, Police Halt River Search

Rescue squads and police officials from Pennsylvania and New Jersey late yesterday afternoon gave up their search for the reported person who allegedly jumped from the two-State linking turnpike bridge on Wednesday.

Officials stated that if a person had plunged into the Delaware River as reported by two employees of the National Gypsum company, his body would have been carried miles down stream from the point of entry in the water.

The report of the plunge was given to police by Henry Keron, 31, and William S. Reeve, 27, both of Burlington.

The dragging operation, by 14 rescue units, was started late Wednesday afternoon and was discontinued when darkness arrived. The search was resumed yesterday at 10 a.m.

Officials from Pennsylvania and New Jersey said they had scanned missing persons lists in an attempt to determine any clue to the reported suicide plunge.

Bensalem Has Two Crashes

Two minor accidents marred Bensalem township roads yesterday.

A rear-end collision took place at U.S. Route 1 and Street road early last night when a truck operated by John G. Hall, of Philadelphia, crashed into the rear of a car driven by David Williams, of New York City.

Williams told Bensalem officer Joseph Piciotti that Hall had to leave the scene immediately. Damage was estimated at \$100 to Williams' car while the truck sustained an undetermined amount of damage.

The second accident occurred late yesterday afternoon when a vehicle operated by Arno Voitel, of Philadelphia, attempted to pass an unidentified car on U.S. Route 1 near Bristol road. A third car driven by Anthony Antolimo, also of Philadelphia, attempted to pass at the same time. The two cars sideswiped each other.

Damage was said to be minor by Patrolman George Walker.

Winners In Slogan Contest



Leon Kanter (center), chairman of the Mill Street Businessmen's Association's Golden Rule Days promotion, presents a certificate to Holly Delk, of Levittown (right foreground), winner of a slogan contest sponsored by the merchants. Holly also received a \$25 savings bond. Runners-up who also received certificates and cash prizes are (from left) Pat Weller, Stew Alexander, Marie Mitchell and John Schweizer. (Courier and Times Photo)

Dr. John Charged With High Treason

KARLSRUHE, Germany — UP — Dr. Otto John, former chief of West Germany's counterespionage organization was charged with high treason today.

The charges against the man who defected to the Communists and then re-defected to the West were lodged by the office for the protection of the constitution — roughly the equivalent of the American FBI.

The date for John's trial was not set.

Investigation into suspicion of high treason and espionage against John was completed today. This was eight months after he returned from a one and a half year stay in the Communist zone of Germany.

Radios Asked For Captains

Bucks County Fire Communications association will seek support for installing radios in cars of fire police captains.

The association meeting Wednesday at Bristol, voted to ask the County Fire Police association to use its influence in trying to convince individual fire companies that fire police captains should have radios in their automobiles.

It was reported that the fire police captain of Pennell Fire company had been refused permission to install a radio in his own car.

Stuart A. Wilson, vice-president said, "I can see where fire police captains could greatly enhance their efficiency, but it also can easily get out of hand." Wilson pointed out that only five or six fire policemen, including two from Trevose, Charles Roeschen and Alvin Ridge, have radios in their cars.

Bumpers

(Continued From Page 1) number was traced and he was turned over to the Falls township authorities.

JP Melvin scheduled a hearing for Dougherty at 4 p.m. tomorrow.

Police said no further explanation was given as to how the fight started. It was expected that the whole matter will be aired in the JP's court, police said.

The 47-year-old John was arrested formally last Dec. 23 on "urgent suspicion" of treasonable relations with the Communist authorities in East Germany.

In Federal Prison

He was placed in federal prison here in Karlsruhe after an examining magistrate signed an arrest warrant requested by federal prosecutor Carl Weichmann. The investigation of his activities continued until now.

John, who was head of the West German political secret service, defected to East Germany in July, 1954, in a move which almost caused the overthrow of the government of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer.

He returned to West Germany 17 months later on Dec. 12, 1955.

WTNJ Names New Manager

Ray McFadden, well known Lower Bucks County disc jockey and resident of 1316 West Pine avenue, Trevose has recently been appointed general manager of radio station WTNJ in Trenton.

The announcement of the promotion was made by William R. DeFreitas, president of WOAX Inc., from his New York offices. McFadden succeeds acting general manager Al Leibert who plans to syndicate his popular morning show.

McFadden first came to the Lower Bucks County radio station in 1955 as a radio announcer and advertising salesman. He was formerly employed by a Philadelphia station.

It was also announced that no changes in station policy or programming was expected with the new appointment. McFadden's afternoon program "Gaddin' With McFadden" will continue to be heard Monday through Friday.

Firm Asks Zone Change

The Kelsey Hayes Wheel Manufacturing firm of Detroit which plans to locate in Falls township, has filed a request for a zoning change of their proposed site from light industrial to heavy manufacturing.

A hearing on the request has been scheduled for Sept. 5 at the Falls township municipal building.

The firm plans to build on a 46 acre tract on Route 1 near the Pennsylvania Railroad in the vicinity of the Fairless Hills State Police barracks. The property belonged to the railroad.

The township supervisors had previously announced that the industry might employ up to 1,000 persons.

The firm has access to an additional 100 acres near the site.

False Advertising Charge Launched

WASHINGTON — UP — The Federal Trade Commission today accused Emerson Radio and Phonograph corporation of Jersey City, N. J., with false advertising of certain of its radios.

The FTC said the firm advertised some of its products were "transistor" radios which contained no vacuum tubes and were the smallest pocket radios ever made.

Charging a violation of the FTC Act, the commission complaint alleged the radios did contain vacuum tubes as well as transistor and are neither "transistor" radios nor the smallest pocket radios ever made.

Exhibits To Highlight Program

The three day Levittown Summer Festival will begin tonight with exhibits, demonstrations, and a program of theatrical skits highlighting the schedule on the Mall of the Levittown Shopping Center.

Arranged by the Levittown Public Recreation association in cooperation with participating Levittown organizations, the festival is expected to attract hundreds of residents to the various events.

The Theatrical Guild of Bucks County will present a skit. The Levittown Players are also scheduled to present parts of the play "Arsenic and Old Lace."

Booths, demonstrations, and exhibits will be on hand throughout the evening.

Tomorrow, many Levittown organizations have planned events throughout the community. Miss Levitt and Miss Levittine contests finals will be held between 7 and 9 p.m. at the Band Shell on the Mall. A Community Dance and Jitterbug Contest will follow.

Sunday's main event will be water pageants scheduled at all the pools from 2 to 5 p.m. by the LPRA.

At 8:30 p.m. the Lower Bucks County Band will present a concert on the Mall.

The public is invited to attend all of the planned activities.

Shop-A-Rama

(Continued From Page One) ment" on the center. He also pointed out that two years ago borough officials appealed the assessment and "got no place."

Santoro said the assessment is low even if you accept the real evaluation of \$10,000,000 set on the center and use the same formula used to set the assessment on Levittown homes.

By this formula the assessment should be \$2,250,000 Santoro said. "Even this would not be enough," Santoro said, "But it would be better than what we have now."

Swangler said the school board has not yet received its copy of the tax duplicate for the county assessor. Normally the duplicates are sent out earlier.

He pointed out that the deadline for appealing assessments is September 1.

For this reason, he said the joint meeting was being called. He added not every member of both boards would be able to make the meeting, which will be held in Walt Disney school, because of vacations.

"We want to talk this thing over and see how everybody feels. Also we want to confer with our attorney and see what our chances are," Swangler said.

Cool Winds Bring Pleasant Weather

Cool winds brushed over Lower Bucks County today, bringing generally pleasant and comfortable weather which appeared headed for a weekend stay.

The U. S. Weather Bureau, Trenton, forecast a high in the 70's today with partly cloudy to fair skies.

The cool front which passed over the area brought an overnight low of 62 degrees early this morning. Yesterday the mercury stopped at 76 degrees.

Seeing Levittown

By LYDIA BOGANE



Politics is fine sport for grown-ups but its influence on the kids can be pretty darn funny. Take a recent incident involving six year old Kathleen "Buzzy" Coman. Buzzy's an average little girl who likes dolls and playing games.

While playing "school" in the back yard the other day, one of the kids was designated "teacher." The teacher began to lead the rest of the group in the pledge of allegiance to the flag in the "repeat after me" fashion. But Buzzy got to one part and felt the pledge should be revised.

Without warning she pledged "and to the Republic and Democrats for which it stands, one nation" It bears noting here that Buzzy's father is Thomas F. Coman, a Bristol Township Democratic leader.

Last year, The Jim Pauls (He's Falls Township Republican Committeeman) announced the birth of a child. While most people boast the birth of a boy or girl, Jim proudly announced "we've had another Republican." If the Paul youngster ever wanders from

home, he might not remember his name and address, but chances are he'll be able to tell the friendly policeman on the corner, his political party.

An eternity ago in elementary school, two of us waged a battle with another little girl who insisted that democracy was something to be enjoyed by Democrats. "After all," she argued, "it was named after them." Too young to really know what we were talking about, we pointed out that 7th graders studying "Problems in Democracy" were surely not learning a subject just devoted to the Democratic party. The teacher happened to be a Republican.

The bell rang for changing classes and that was the end of that. But I noticed on a trip back to the little burg that the other two kids are now quite active in local politics.

This is all apparently, as it should be. We have nothing to worry about until the kids put aside toy guns and dolls and replace the game of "school" with their versions of National political conventions.

Births

LOWER BUCKS HOSPITAL

Aug. 22
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O'Neal, 1555 Brown avenue, Croydon, girl.

Aug. 23
Rabbi and Mrs. Bergman, 86 Oaktree drive, Levittown, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gignac, 35 Red Maple lane, Levittown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kahlen, 80 Hawthorne lane, Levittown, girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Petro, 39 Vineyard road, Levittown, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Shuck, 1815 Lincoln avenue, Croydon, boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stakenas, 213 Mill street, Bristol, boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson, 4122 Neshaminy street, Croydon, girl.